



May 27, 2016

Ocotillo District Weekly Update

**TO ALL THOSE WHO HAVE LOST LOVED ONES SERVING
IN THE ARMED FORCES FOR THE PROTECTION OF OUR NATION:**



MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY NOTICE

City offices closed, certain facilities closed or have modified hours

City of Glendale offices will be closed on Monday, May 30 in observance of the Memorial Day holiday.

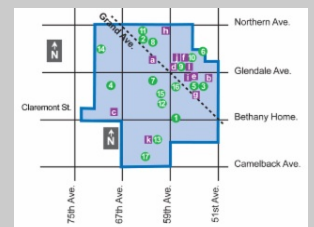
All households' scheduled garbage and recycling will be shifted one day due to the holiday. The Glendale Municipal Landfill will be closed. For more information about the city's solid waste services, please call 623-930-2660.



Quick Links

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Ocotillo District Amenities



Only Gus Bus Route 1 will run, operating on a Sunday schedule from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. For Dial-a-Ride service that day, reservations must be made by noon on Friday, May 27, by calling 623-930-3500. No same-day service on Monday will be available. ADA service will be available, based on fixed route schedules. Valley Metro buses will operate on a Sunday schedule.

While the Glendale Municipal Airport will remain open during the holiday, the airport's administrative offices will be closed.

In addition, Glendale's three public libraries and the Glendale Adult Center will be closed, as well as the Glendale Convention and Visitors Bureau.

Glendale's Foothills Recreations and Aquatics Center will remain open on the Memorial Day holiday, however, with hours from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. For more information, call the Foothills Center at 623-930-4600.

For additional information on the city of Glendale's programs and services, visit www.glendaleaz.com.

Mobile Office Hours Scheduled for Summer



First Monday of June and August, from 5:30-7pm

Come join Ocotillo District Councilmember Jamie Aldama for his Mobile Office Meetings on Monday's:

June 6 and August 1, from 5:30-7pm

O'Neil Recreation Center

6448 West Missouri Avenue

Come and take this opportunity to discuss those issues that are most important to you in our community and hear firsthand from the Councilmember the steps that he, and the City Council, have been taking to improve and grow the City of Glendale.

Safe Haven Program

Are you afraid or don't want to keep your baby?

Do you just want someone to give your baby to, keep it safe, and make sure your baby gets a good home?

You have options. Arizona has the **Safe Haven Law** that identifies places where mothers can safely and anonymously give up their babies without fear of prosecution. We have a Safe Haven crisis response team available to assist you with questions, options and resources, 24/7. Call 1-866-707-2229.

If your baby is unharmed, is under 72 hours old and you don't intend to reclaim your baby, you have options! Simply bring your baby to the Safe Haven locations:

**Any Hospital
Any Ambulance
Any Designated Adoption Agency
On-duty Fire Stations
Any Designated Church**

You must hand your baby to a person at above locations or may place baby in Safe Haven drawer at

Please RSVP (not necessary) with Adam Maynes at 623-930-2878.

Councilmember Aldama on Glendale Today



GLENDALE COUNCILMEMBER JAMIE ALDAMA HIGHLIGHTS HISTORIC DOWNTOWN AND CATLIN COURT RESTAURANTS ON "GLENDALE TODAY"

Councilmember Jamie Aldama of the Ocotillo District gives viewers a taste of Glendale in the newest edition of the TV show "Glendale Today." Guests on the program include Brian Friedman, the city's Economic Development Director, and ten restaurant owners in a unique roundtable discussion on the business of downtown dining.

Councilmember Aldama profiles multiple dining establishments in Historic Downtown Glendale and Catlin Court, including: Pizza Old Roma, Desert Rose Steakhouse, Papa Ed's Ice Cream, the Bakery by Chef Tom, the Hop Stop Diner, Shot of Java, The Spicery In Our 1895 Home, Bitz-ee Mama's, Haus Murphy's, and La Piazza Al Forno. Among the topics discussed are the economic importance of Glendale's downtown dining district, the partnerships between restaurants to help each other succeed, the wide variety of food choices within walking district of Murphy Park and the need for future growth.

The show begins airing Friday, May 27 at 8 p.m. "Glendale Today" is produced by staff from the city-owned TV station Glendale 11. The show will air daily on Glendale 11 as well as online

News and Notes From Around the City



GLENDALE FIRE ADAMANT PEOPLE SHOULD NEVER LEAVE CHILDREN IN CAR

No Child Left Behind was a 2001 Act of Congress concerning the education of children in public schools. "No Child Left Behind" should also be the slogan of every parent regarding

leaving children unattended in a vehicle, even if the car is running with the air conditioning on.

haven't drawer at designated hospitals. Tell them this is a safe haven baby and you may leave. Your baby will be cared for and a good home will be found for the baby.

[Drop Off Drawer](#)

[Locations](#) Click here for the locations of hospitals with anonymous drop off drawers.

For more information please go to

azsbh2.org/information/.

Besides the potential of having your child abducted or the possibility of the child placing the vehicle in gear and causing harm to themselves or others, your child is at a risk of heat stroke regardless of the outside temperature if left in a car.

Heat stroke, also known as hyperthermia, is when the body's core temp rapidly rises, and the body loses its ability to cool itself. A child's body temperature can rise 3 to 5 times faster than an adult. Heat Stroke, the most serious heat-related illness, can cause many medical complications like seizures, organ failure, brain damage and death.

According to a report published by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, when outside temperatures are in the 60s, the temperature inside a vehicle can rise above 110, even if the windows are cracked. The Arizona summer can bring temperatures of 200° inside of vehicles and although temperatures have been in the 80s and 90s, temperatures inside a car can become dangerous within a few minutes.

Since 1998, on average 40 children nationwide die each year as a result of Heat Stroke after being left unattended in a vehicle. A majority of the time, the caregiver "forgot" that the child was in the vehicle.

Here are some tips from the Glendale Fire Department so that no child is left behind!

- Never leave your child in a car without an adult, even if you expect only to be gone a few seconds.
- When driving with the kids, place a note/object on the dash reminding you to make sure all children are out of the vehicle when you stop. There are also apps for smartphones that can tell when you have arrived at your destination and remind you not to forget your baby in the vehicle.
- Always make sure your vehicle is locked and place the keys out of children's reach. One-third of vehicle hyperthermia deaths results from a child gaining access to an unlocked vehicle and not being able to get out.
- Be cautious when loading or unloading the trunk.
- If you see that someone has left their child unattended in a vehicle, call 911 immediately.
- If a child is missing, check the pool first then all vehicles including the trunk.

Buckle Up Arizona...It's the Law! Enforcement Campaign

Arizona Occupant Protection Enforcement Program

Monday, May 16 through Sunday, June 5, 2016

In an effort to save more lives on Arizona's roadways this month the Governor's Office of Highway Safety is partnering with the Glendale Police Department and other local law enforcement agencies to enforce Arizona's seat belt and child safety seat laws.



Arizona presently conducts enforcement under a secondary seat belt law and a primary child safety seat law. The enforcement campaign is based upon high visibility traffic

child safety seat law. The enforcement campaign is based upon high visibility traffic enforcement with a "zero-tolerance" approach towards seat belt and child safety seat usage.

As part of a the national Click It or Ticketseat belt enforcement campaign, law enforcement agencies across the state will be stepping up traffic enforcement patrols and increasing other enforcement efforts to drive home the message: Buckle Up Arizona...It's the Law!

Despite widespread efforts to educate drivers about the importance of wearing seat belts, motor vehicles collisions continue to be the leading cause of death and serious injuries to the citizens of our state. The enforcement mobilization will run from May 16, 2016 through June 5, 2016.

Regular seat belt use is the single most effective way to protect people and reduce fatalities in motor vehicle crashes. When worn correctly, seat belts have proven to reduce serious crash-related injuries and deaths by about 50%. The proper and consistent use of child safety seats has been found to reduce the risk of fatal injury by 71% for infants (younger than 1 year old) and by 54% for toddlers (1 to 4 years old) in passenger cars. Properly installed booster seats reduce the risk for serious injury by 45% among children ages 4 to 8 years old.

Grant funding was provided by the Governor's Office of Highway Safety.

BUCKLE UP ARIZONA....IT'S THE LAW

Tohono O'odham Nation Revenue Sharing

In 2002, Arizona voters passed Proposition 202 which allowed for the continuation of limited Indian gaming on tribal lands in Arizona. Under Prop. 202, Arizona tribes agreed to share a portion of their revenues with the State of Arizona. Of the revenues shared, 12



percent is made available to cities, towns, or counties for a purpose whose benefit is to the general public through either direct distribution to the local governments or in the form of a deposit to the State of Arizona's Commerce and Economic Development Commission's Local Community Fund.

For its 2016 revenue sharing, the Tohono O'odham Nation has chosed to contribute directly to local governments. In addition, non-profit organizations may work with local governments to qualify for the funding available from the Nation.

Therefore, the Tohono O'odham Nation is seeking Requests for Funding Proposals from Arizona cities, towns, counties, and non-profit organizations.

These proposals must address one of more of the following priority areas:

- a) Education
- b) Health Care
- c) Public Safety
- d) Child Advocacy
- e) Economic Development

For information on proposal guidelines and how to deliver a proposal, please contact the Tohono O'odham Executive Office at 520-383-2028.

COUNCIL NEWS

Agenda /
Upcoming Public Council Meetings /
Items of Special Interest

There are no meetings or workshops on the 5th Tuesday of the Month. The next Workshop will be June 7th at 1:30pm.

FUTURE COUNCIL MEETINGS

June

Council Workshop: Tuesday June 7, 1:30pm
Council Meeting: Tuesday June 14, 6:00pm
Council Workshop: Tuesday June 21, 1:30pm
Council Meeting: Tuesday June 28, 6:00pm

Coming Up

Historic Downtown
Glendale

May Events

Come Down to the Town

Mother's Day CELEBRATION
VisitGlendale.com

HISTORIC DOWNTOWN GLENDALE & CATLIN COURT
Saturday 10am to 4pm
ACCEPTING DONATIONS
DEPLOYED
FEMALE MILITARY

Glass Creations
Boutique, Gifts & Collectibles
623-939-3966
Mother's Day Sale May 1 - May 8

DRAWN TO COMICS
Glendale, Arizona

20% off Glass Eye Studio 20% off Fenton Art Glass
7011 N. 58th Avenue Glendale

Alison
MacInnis

FREE COMIC BOOK DAY
May 7, 2016

Steven
Skyler

**SALUTE
to the
MILITARY**

MILITARY APPRECIATION MONTH

Papa Ed's is showing their appreciation all month long to those who are serving and those who have served.

Show your Military I.D. and get a free single cone. (one per customer please)

Papa Ed's
Ice Cream

7146-B N.
58 Avenue
623-915-4438

Postcards from the Apocalypse

By Dana Jose Madden

Presented by:



6835 N. 58th Avenue, Glendale
623-282-2781
www.brelby.com

A young man, Marco, waits for his girlfriend, Jenny, atop a mountain. As the world collapses around him, he receives postcards and other messages from Jenny who reports back on what she's seen and heard from the End of the World.

Performance Dates:
May 12 - 14, 19-20 7:30 pm
May 14-15 2 pm



Psychic Fair
May 21st 10 am - 4 pm

Medium Night with Dave Campbell
Friday, May 27th 6:30 pm
\$26.00

buy your tickets early as this is always a sell out

Psychic Development Class 101
With Dave Campbell
Starts May 12th - Thursdays 6:30 - 8:30 pm
6 weeks - cost is \$120.00
Sign up now - seating is limited

Beginner Tarot Class With Verona
Starts May 9th
Wednesdays 8:30 - 9:30 pm - 6 weeks - cost is \$150
Intermediate and Advanced classes to follow

Beginning Astrology Class
With Dave Campbell
Starts June 6th - Mondays 6:30 - 8:30 pm
6 weeks - cost is \$150
Intermediate and Advanced classes to follow

5735 West Glendale Avenue
623-463-4286
www.theastrologystore.com

**Glendale
FARMERS
Market**

2nd & 4th Saturdays
April thru July

April - May 8 am - noon
June - July 7 am - 11 am

eat fresh • buy local • eat seasonally

7102 N. 58th Drive www.glendalefarmersmarket.org f u

**Glendale
FARMERS
Market**

eat fresh • buy local • eat seasonally

Meet local farmers and producers and sample some of the best food the region has to offer.
Browse handicrafts and one-of-a-kind treasures.
Enjoy food truck specialties too!

Saturday April 9th
2ND & 4TH SATURDAYS • APRIL THROUGH JULY
8 am to noon

7102 N. 58TH DRIVE | HISTORIC DOWNTOWN GLENDALE



Surviving the Summer

6:30-8:30 p.m., Friday, June 3, 2016

Fountain Park at Westgate

Parks, Recreation and Neighborhood Services, along with other City departments, is offering a free event filled with tips and techniques to help residents get through the summer and make it safer. A variety of agencies and vendors will provide educational information on water safety, sun safety, crime prevention and more. Staff contact: Paul King at 623-930-4604.



GLENDALE SUMMER BAND CELEBRATES ITS 50TH SEASON OF MUSIC IN DOWNTOWN GLENDALE

State's Longest-Running Community Band Kicks Off Summer Concert Series June 2

Glendale's favorite summer tradition is back for its 50th season beginning June 2 in downtown Glendale. The eight-week concert series takes place each Thursday at 8 p.m. through July 21, in the Murphy Park Amphitheater, located at 58th and Glenn drives.

The 50th Anniversary Celebration Concert is scheduled for Thursday, June 23, in which the community will be invited for a special performance and a ceremony that will include dignitaries, former band members and special guests, as well as the debut of an original piece of music composed for the Glendale Summer Band.

The Glendale Summer Band is the longest- running community band in Arizona. The ages of the volunteer band members span several generations. Formed back in 1966, the band originally played at O'Neil Park, before moving to Murphy Park when the amphitheater was built. Music lovers of all ages will be entertained by approximately 100 musicians with their inspiring renditions of marches, polkas, movie medleys and other tunes. These free concerts are the perfect night out for the entire family, or bring your friends, neighbors and

concerts are the perfect night out for the entire family, or bring your friends, neighbors and the whole gang! Bring lawn chairs or blankets for seating. Snacks and refreshments will be available for purchase at the concerts, which will go on through July 21. The series will feature a special Patriotic performance on Thursday, June 30 in celebration of Independence Day, as well as other themes each week, which include:

- June 2: There's Something About Music (Great opening of season music)
- June 9: Celebrate the 1960s (Popular TV, movie and Broadway music from the 1960s)
- June 16: What I Like About You (Favorite selections from current and past conductors)
- June 23: Milestones and Memories: 50th Anniversary Concert & Amphitheater Dedication (Premiere performance of An Arizona Celebration by Andrew Balent)
- June 30: Happy Birthday, America! (Patriotic and All-American, Summer Band Singers)
- July 7: Never Grow Up (Music from Peter Pan, Hook and children's favorites)
- July 14: The Great Gershwin! (The music of George Gershwin)
- July 21: Audience and Band Favorites (Favorite band and audience end-of-the-season music)

The Glendale Summer Band concert series is sponsored by the Glendale Civic Pride Ambassadors and the Glendale Rotary. For more information, call the Glendale's Special Events hotline at 623-930-2299, or visit www.glendaleaz.com/events.

GLENDALE'S SUMMER SCAVENGER STROLL JUNE 10

Enjoy a summer evening discovering Downtown Glendale

What could be better than a stroll through Historic Downtown Glendale on a summer evening? We can think of one thing - the chance to win prizes while you do it! The Glendale Visitor Center has teamed up with the downtown business community to put on the Summer Scavenger Stroll.

On Friday, June 10, between 4-8 p.m. head to the Glendale Visitor Center to pick up a map and start hunting. A nice leisurely pace will provide a relaxing, fun evening with friends and family. While enjoying shopping and dinner, search for clues. The more clues you find, the more chances to win prizes, which include fabulous gifts from the Glendale shops and restaurants.

Visitors will stroll at their own pace, and end the evening at Spinning Wheel Antiques & Gifts, 7163 N. 58th Drive for the grand prize drawing.

The Glendale Visitor Center is located at 5800 W. Glenn Dr. Suite 140. For additional information on this event and the downtown businesses, call 623-930-4500 or online at www.VisitGlendale.com. Free admission and free parking. Parking is available in the adjacent garage, just north of Glenn Drive, between 58th Avenue and 58th Drive.





Citizen Police Academy

The Glendale Police Department's Citizen Police Academy is a free program designed for citizens of Glendale and members of the business community. This program allows attendees to experience an inside view of the Glendale Police Department and the different roles and responsibilities of both our sworn officers and civilian employees. During the 12-week program, attendees will meet the men and women of this department, see what they do to help make our community safe, and even get some hands-on experience with the tools and equipment they use.

Citizen Police Academy

The Glendale Police Department is accepting applications for the Fall 2016 Citizen Police Academy. The Fall program is scheduled to begin in August 2016. The deadline for applications is July 15, 2016. If you have any questions, please contact Marie Shepherd, Academy Coordinator, at mshepherd@glendaleaz.com.

Course curriculum includes

- Uniformed patrol
- Crime Scene Investigation
- D.U.I. recognition
- Tactical operations
- Use of canines
- Police driving techniques
- Firearms training
- Police Detention Facility and Operations
- Police Communications
- Community Action Teams
- Volunteer Opportunities

Program requirements:

Participants must be 18 years or older and able to attend a 12-week program, comprised of Wednesday evening classes, one Friday afternoon class and one Saturday morning class.

Application process:

[Click here to download an application for the Citizen Police Academy \(Microsoft Word\)](#)
[Click here to download an application for the Citizen Police Academy \(PDF\)](#)

As part of the application process all applicants must be fingerprinted. Please bring your completed application along with a photo ID to the Main Public Safety building during fingerprint service hours.

Fingerprint service hours vary.

Please call ahead at (623) 930-3099.

Main Public Safety Building

Glendale Police Department

6835 N. 57th Drive

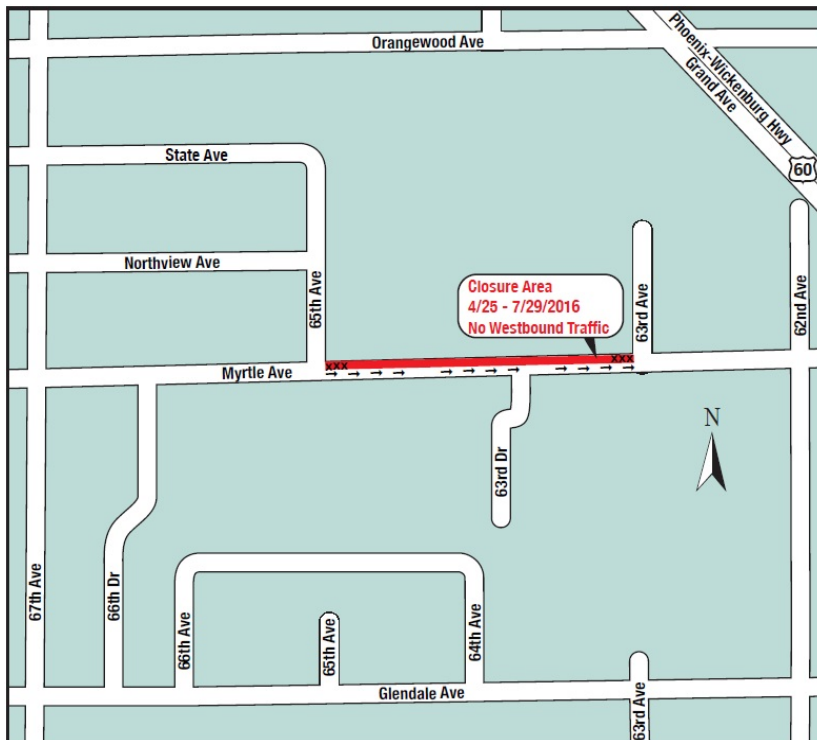
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For further information, please contact Marie Shepherd, Volunteer Coordinator, at (623) 930-3282 or by email at mshepherd@glendaleaz.com.

The City's Boards and Commissions assist the City Council in making important policy decisions that impact our community. These citizen advisory groups research, study, and discuss specific issues. You can find the full list of all 17 commissions and apply online at: www.GlendaleAZ.com/boardsandcommissions or you can call (623) 930-2878 and I will be happy to send you a brochure in the mail.



Myrtle Avenue Improvements - Safe Routes to School Project



Myrtle Avenue, 65th to 63rd Avenues (Westbound Only)

Project Update

Construction crews have removed asphalt on the north side of Myrtle Avenue between 66th Drive and 63rd Avenue, installed sidewalk on the south side of Myrtle Avenue from 66th Drive to 65th Avenue and relocated several water services, a fire hydrant and an irrigation structure. The following activities currently are underway:

- * On the south side of Myrtle, placement of decomposed granite on both sides of the new sidewalk.
- * Curb, gutter, sidewalk and driveway entrance installations on the north side of the roadway between 65th and 63rd avenues.
- * Grading the roadway between 66th Drive and 63rd Avenue.

About The Project

The Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT), in partnership with the city of Glendale, is installing sidewalks, driveway entrances and storm drain improvements on Myrtle Avenue between 62nd Avenue and 66th Drive. When complete, the project will provide continuous sidewalks for pedestrians and for children walking to area schools in the neighborhood.

The construction is slated for completion in August 2016. Work hours are 6 a.m. to 6 p.m., Monday through Friday. Crews may work evenings and weekends, if needed. The contractor will not work Monday, May 30 in observance of Memorial Day.

Road Closure Advisory - Myrtle Avenue, 65th to 63rd Avenues (westbound only)

Myrtle Avenue remains closed to westbound traffic between 65th and 63rd avenues for roadway improvements. The contractor is providing access for residents, businesses, Glendale High School, school buses, Glendale Urban Shuttle (GUS) and emergency vehicles via eastbound Myrtle Avenue. Please allow extra time when traveling through the construction zone as there will be traffic delays. Glendale Avenue and 67th Avenue may be used as an alternate route. Westbound Myrtle Avenue will reopen by 6 p.m., Friday, July 29, 2016. If you have questions about access during the closure, please call the construction hotline at (602) 264-6416.

Thank you for your patience and cooperation during this improvement effort.

For More Information

If you have questions about the project or need special assistance, call the 24-hour construction hotline at (602) 264-6416.

This project is funded, in part, by a Federal Highway Administration Safe Routes to Schools grant. <http://www.glendaleaz.com/improvements/>

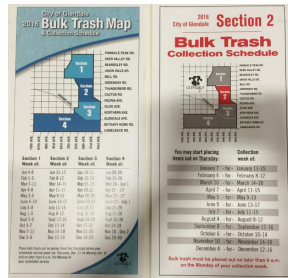
Want to Report a Code Violation?

Please use this link to report a code violation. The Code Compliance Department will then follow-up. Please be sure to provide all information that is requested.

<http://www.glendaleaz.com/codecompliance/multiple-complaint-form.cfm>

To find out information about street construction / traffic restrictions, or the pavement management program please click on the link below

<http://www.glendaleaz.com/improvements/>



Bulk Trash Collection

Please click on the link below to view the bulk trash pick-up schedule. As a reminder, residents are asked to place bulk trash out no earlier than 6 a.m. on the Thursday before your scheduled service week and no later than 6 a.m. on the Monday of your scheduled service week. It is a violation of city ordinance to put bulk trash out before or after the assigned period. Failure to comply may result in enforcement action, including charges to the resident. <http://www.glendaleaz.com/sanitation/documents/2016BTSchedThurs.pdf>

To find out who your Community Action Team with the Glendale Police Department is click here:

https://www.glendaleaz.com/police/documents/CATTEAM_MAP_032315.pdf

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